



Coppull St John's C.E. Primary School



7th January 2020

A warm welcome back to school!

We hope you all had a wonderful Christmas and are ready for the new term ahead. We would like to take this opportunity to wish you all a very happy new year!



We have returned this week remembering Epiphany and the importance of Jesus in all of our lives.

The theme of 'Community' is our focus this half term both in whole school worship and class reflection areas

'Live in Harmony with One Another'

Romans 12 v 16

- **Staffing update**

I am delighted to share the wonderful news that Mrs Marston gave birth to a healthy baby boy Ezra on Saturday 28th December. Both Mum and baby are doing really well. We send our Congratulations to Mr & Mrs Marston and their family. We look forward to seeing them soon.

I am delighted to share with you that Mrs Hunt has been appointed as class 1 teacher and EYFS and Key Stage 1 lead. Mrs Hunt is an experienced teacher and we look forward to welcoming her into school. Due to current contractual arrangements Mrs Hunt will take up her post after the Easter holidays. Meanwhile, Mrs McGowan, who has been a familiar face in school last term, will be teaching the children.

It is with sadness I wish to inform you that Mrs Baldry will be leaving us Thursday 24th January. Mrs Baldry has been a teaching assistant at Coppull St John's for 5 years. She will be missed very much by all the school community. She has decided to leave education and has been successful in her application to be a PSCO for Lancashire Police. We wish her every success and continued happiness in her new, chosen career.

- **Lost Property**

There were a number of items remaining in school at the end of last term. The bags, coats and jumpers will all be displayed at the end of the day on Wednesday.

Items not named, nor claimed will be donated to clothing charities.



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- **Battery recycling**

Please bring all your used batteries to school instead of throwing them away so that we can recycle them through Lancashire County Council. A prize will go to the school that collects the most!



- **Nasal Flu Immunisation Catch Up Clinics**

Please contact the Immunisation Team on: **0333 3593397 (Option 6)** if you would like to book a slot for your child to have their nasal flu immunisation if they have missed having it in school.

Thursday, 23rd January (15:00 – 17:00)

Highfield Children & Family Wellbeing Services
Highfield Nursery School
Wright Street
Chorley
PR6 0SL

- **After school Club**

Last term saw an increase in numbers for the afterschool club. Friday has also been a popular day with our families. This is great to see!

However some families are ringing the same day for a place in the club and this cannot always be accommodated as the club is full to capacity. Please try to book places for your child in the after school club at the beginning of each week.

- **PTFA**

I would like to extend our sincere thanks to the hard work and commitment from all members of the PTFA. I am sure you will agree there were some great social events throughout the Autumn term with monies being raised for PTFA funds. In addition, the PTFA paid for the gifts the children received from Father Christmas. If you would like to be involved in the work of the PTFA look out for the next meeting date coming soon.

Upcoming dates for your diary	Events
Wednesday 15 th January	Online Safety workshop for pupils in class 4
Monday 20 th January	Class Photographs
Tuesday 28 th January at 6pm	Year 6 Hothersall Lodge meeting
Tuesday 11 th February	National Safer Internet day- more details to follow
Wednesday 12 th February	Runshaw College drama production 'The Town Mouse & The Country Mouse.'
Wednesday 26 th February 9am	Eucharist service at St John's Church

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